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THE SIXTY-FIRST

ANNUAL REPORT

of the

BRIDPORT HOSPITAL

and

STATEMENT of ACCOUNTS

as at

31st December, 1927,

Adopted at the

ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING OF GOVERNORS

Held on

26th January, 1928.

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BRIDPORT HOSPITAL.



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BRIDPORT HOSPITAL.

COMMITTEE :

President—MAJOR J. GUNDRY.*
THE MAYOR. MR. A. R. TRAVERS.

Elected Members :

MRS. W. P. COLFOX*
MRS. COMPTON
MRS. A. WHETHAM
REAR ADMIRAL GLOSSOP*
LT.-COL. E. P. LEBRETON
ADMIRAL FOX*

MR. W. S. EDWARDS
MR. W. FERRIS HILL
THE HON. M. HOWARD
MRS. MONTAGU*
MR. S. E. HOWARD*
MR. F. WEEKS

Honorary Medical Officers :

A. B. MACCARTHY, M.B., CH. B., EDIN.
A. G. A. THOMSON, M.B., C.M.
F. B. OLIPHANT, M.B., C.M., EDIN.
H. COLMAN, L.R.C.P., L.S.A., LOND.
H. A. LAKE, M.D., M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P.
E. BARRATT HINE, M.R.C.S., ENG., L.R.C.P., LOND.,
D.P.H., LOND.
J. H. ARMISTEAD, F.R.C.S., EDIN., L.R.C.P., EDIN.

Honorary Surgeon Dentists :

W. PALK, L.D.S., R.C.S., I.
W. PALK, JUNR., L.D.S., R.C.S., ENG.
S. LLOYD WALLIS, L.D.S., LIV.

Trustees of Mrs. Lee's Charity :

MR. S. E. HOWARD | MAJOR W. P. COLFOX

Trustees of Thomas Hanham's Trust :

COL. T. A. COLFOX | MAJOR H. B. NICHOLSON
MAJOR J. GUNDRY | MR. H. S. SUTTILL*

Honorary Treasurer :

MAJOR G. M. DAMMERS,* Wykes Court, Bridport.

Secretary :

MR. G. L. ATHERTON, A.C.A., 65 East Street, Bridport.

Matron and Masseuse.

MISS S. MORRIS, S.R.N., I.S.T.M.

Sister.

MISS E. I. JONES, S.R.N.

Hon. Secretary & Treasurer of the Convalescent Branch :

MISS SUTTILL, 8 West Allington, Bridport.

*Those marked * are members of the House Committee.*

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THE SIXTY-FIRST ANNUAL REPORT

OF THE COMMITTEE OF THE BRIDPORT HOSPITAL

FOR THE YEAR 1927.

THE Committee have to report that in view of the increased cost of maintenance, the income for the year ending 31st December, 1927, has been insufficient to meet the expenditure. Our fixed annual income we can assume to be not more than £1,100, while the expenditure will not be less than £1,300. The sources of income cannot well be enlarged, while the maintenance expenditure has increased enormously of recent years, and we are, therefore, compelled to ask our many well wishers to bear our difficulties in mind and continue their generous support.

A brief comparison of the various increases from time to time in the work done at the Hospital and Dispensary since its inception, and of the financial position may be of interest.

During the year 1867, when the Dispensary was first opened, the subscriptions amounted to £156 and donations £66, in all £222, while the expenditure was £75. In 1900 the income was £375. Subscriptions amounted to £118, Hospital and Dispensary fees £15 and other income £242, while the ordinary expenditure was £380. Fifty-one in-patients cases were dealt with at a cost of £1 8s 0d per week each. The fiftieth annual report records that 96 in-patients were treated at a cost of £1 5s 6d per week each, subscriptions are shown as £128, Hospital and Dispensary fees as £166, and other income £304, making a total of £598; the Expenditure being £508. During 1927, as will be seen, the ordinary income received was £1,203 13s 3d, subscriptions amounted to £258 15s 6d, Hospital and Dispensary fees £232 1s 10d and other income £962 15s 11d, while the expenditure was £1,313 5s 9d. The number of in-patients treated was 134. The cost per in-patient was £2 17s 6d per week.

Mr. G. F. Udal—who had been connected with our activities for many years, and was President in 1899—passed away on 11th February, 1927. We wish to

record our sincere appreciation of his services and deep regret at the loss sustained by his death. A legacy of £250 under his will has been invested according to his wishes therein contained.

Mr. J. C. Parsons again very generously sent £100 for our use during the year. This gentleman's gifts during the past four years amount to £300. The Mayor's Carnival produced a sum of £236 5s 7d, of which the Secretary remitted £168 7s 11d to the Hospital Funds, £25 being reserved for the use of future committees. This annual effort by the town provides a substantial part of the annual income, and we wish to thank all those connected with it.

Congregational collections and Harvest Festival gifts sent us by the various clergy and ministers of religion are always put to good use. Pound Day produced £7 15s 9d and 185 pounds of produce. Our many helpers in this direction are cordially thanked. The valuable and efficient services of the Matron and Staff are much appreciated and we wish to thank the Honorary Medical Officers and Surgeon Dentists for their attendances. We also tender our thanks for the many gifts which have been received and administered for the comfort and well being of the patients. The good work of the Convalescent Branch has been usefully continued during the year under the Secretaryship of Miss Suttill.

We were very sorry to hear from Mr. E. P. Rendall that he has decided to relinquish the duties of Honorary Treasurer. He has been a real worker in the Hospital's cause for many years, but as has been pointed out, it is only right that someone else should shoulder the responsibility he has undertaken for so long. He is to assist Major G. M. Dammers for the time being, and we ask him to accept our very sincere thanks for all he has done and express the hope that we may have his active support in the future. We wish to thank Major Dammers for taking over the Treasurership, and hope and feel sure he will receive the assistance he has the right to expect.

We ask those members of the General Committee who have retired this year to accept our grateful thanks for their co-operation and assistance.

INCOME AND EXPENDITURE ACCOUNT for the Year ended 31st Dec., 1927.

Income.		£ s. d.		Expenditure.		£ s. d.	
To Subscriptions	...	258	15 6	By Meat and Fish	...	154	8 1
" Donations	...	350	4 6	" Provisions...	...	64	5 3
" Congregational Collections	...	104	10 6	" Milk, Butter, etc.	...	114	1 9
" Hospital Fees	...	207	15 10	" Bread	...	28	1 0
" Dispensary Fees	...	3	6 0				
" X-Ray Fees	...	21	0 0	Salaries and Wages	...		
				" Drugs	...	360	16 1
Dividends	...	232	1 10	" Garden	...	342	3 7
" Collecting Boxes	...	216	9 7	" Rates	...	30	11 2
" Miscellaneous Revenue	...	10	0 10	" Insurances...	...	62	15 8
" District Collections	...	259	10 10	" Replacements	...	57	9 8
		21	19 8	" Property Repairs	...	13	10 8
				" Laundry	...	78	2 9
Deficit to Balance Sheet	...	1453	13 3	" Fuel and Lighting	...	59	7 6
		209	12 6	" Stationery and Postages	...	65	0 0
				" Expenses	...	185	8 7
						39	14 10
						18	5 3
						1313	5 9
				Legacies, &c. (Contra)			
				Mr. J. C. Parsons...	...	100	0 0
				Mr. G. F. Udal, Legacy	...	250	0 0
						350	0 0
						£1663	5 9

BALANCE SHEET at 31st December, 1927.

Liabilities.		Assets.	
Legacies, &c.	£ s. d.		£ s. d.
Balance 1st January, 1927 ...	1774 17 9	Property ..	7116 9 0
Add Mr. John Cox Parsons' Gift	100 0 0	Furniture and Appliances ...	2215 9 0
Legacy from Mr. G. F. Udal	250 0 0	Investments at Cost ...	3892 12 1
	2124 17 9	Cash at Bank and in hand ...	78 4 11
General Account.			
Balance 1st January, 1927 ...	11166 13 3		
Less Deficit from Income & Expenditure Account ..	209 12 6		
	10957 0 9		
Creditors ..	220 16 6		
	£13302 15 0		£13302 15 0

I have seen the Deeds representing the Investments and have examined the above Account, together with the Books and Vouchers as produced, and, in view of the explanations given to me, I certify this Balance Sheet to show a true Statement of the position at 31st December, 1927.

Bridport, January, 1928.

W. H. MARGRIE,
Auditor.

Convalescent Branch of the Bridport Hospital.

INCOME & EXPENDITURE ACCOUNT for the Year ended 31st Dec., 1927.

Income.		Expenditure.	
	£ s. d.		£ s. d.
To Dividends Received	... 23 18 9	By Board and Lodging—	
Income Tax Recovered	... 5 14 9	+ Patients, four weeks each	
		@ 25s. per week	... 20 0 0
		1 Patient, four weeks @	
		18s. 6d. per week	... 3 14 0
		Postages, etc. ...	... 2 6
		Balance to Balance Sheet	... 5 17 0
	<u>£29 13 6</u>		<u>£29 13 6</u>

Convalescent Branch of the Bridport Hospital.

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W. H. MARGRIE,
Auditor.

At the ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING of Governors
and Subscribers, held at the TOWN HALL,
BRIDPORT, on THURSDAY, 26th JANUARY, 1928.

ADMIRAL FOX in the Chair.

The Committee's Report and Statement of Accounts
having been read, the following resolutions were
passed :—

RESOLUTION I.

Proposed by Mr S. E. HOWARD, *seconded* by Mrs. MONTAGU :—That the Report now read be received and adopted and printed for circulation amongst the Subscribers.

RESOLUTION II

Proposed by ADMIRAL FOX, *seconded* by Mr. E. P. RENDALL :—That Major J. Gundry be elected President.

RESOLUTION III.

Proposed by ADMIRAL GLOSSOP, *seconded* by Mrs. WHETHAM :—That Major G. M. Dammers be elected Treasurer.

RESOLUTION IV.

Proposed by Mr. EDMUNDS, *seconded* by Mrs. COMPTON :
That Mr. G. L. Atherton be elected Secretary.

RESOLUTION V.

Proposed by Mr. S. E. HOWARD, *seconded* by Major GUNDRY :—That Mr. Margrie be elected Auditor.

The following were then elected to the General Committee by Ballot :—Mrs. W. P. Colfox, The Hon. M. Howard and Admiral Fox.

RESOLUTION VI.

Proposed by the Mayor, Mr. A. R. TRAVERS, *seconded* by Miss. BUSSELL :—That the cordial thanks of the Subscribers be given to the Hon. Medical Officers and Hon. Surgeon Dentists for their valuable services and that they be and are hereby re-appointed.

RESOLUTION VII.

Proposed by Reverend HUTTON : That the thanks of the Subscribers be given to the President, Hon. Treasurer, Hon Auditor and the Committee for their services during the past year.

RESOLUTION VIII.

Proposed by ADMIRAL FOX, *seconded* by Mrs. WHETHAM
That the thanks of the Committee and Subscribers be given to the Committee of the Convalescent Branch for their services during the past year.

RESOLUTION IX.

Proposed by Mr. S. E. HOWARD, *seconded* by Reverend BECKINGSALE :—That the thanks of the Subscribers and Committee be given to the Matron and Staff for their services during the past year.

The Convalescent Committee were re-elected en bloc.

Honorary Secretary and Treasurer, Miss SUTTILL,
8, West Allington, Bridport.

ANNUAL SUBSCRIPTIONS 1927.

This List has been carefully revised, but if any errors or omissions have occurred the Secretary will be obliged if he may be informed of them.

				£	s.	d.
Bridport—						
Atherton, Major J. A.	...	...	...	1	1	0
Andress, Mrs. A.	...	...	...	1	1	0
Armstrong, Mr. ...	...	...	...		10	0
Beach & Co., Messrs.	...	...	...	1	0	0
Bradford & Son, Messrs.	...	...	...	1	0	0
Brown, Miss E. M.	...	...	...	1	1	0
Bussell, Miss ...	...	...	...	1	1	0
Beckingsale, Rev. G. A. D.	...	...	...	1	1	0
Beckingsale, Mrs.	...	...	...	1	0	0
Balson, Messrs R. J. & W.	...	...	...	1	0	0
Bindloss, Miss ...	...	...	...	1	1	0
British Legion ...	...	...	...	3	3	0
Bridport Women's Institute	...	...	...	1	1	0
Brown, Mr. W. J.	...	...	...		5	0
Bailey, Mr. ...	...	...	...	1	1	0
Bonfield, Mr. G.	...	...	...	1	1	0
Bridport Gas Co.	...	...	...	1	1	0
Bridport Guardians	...	...	...	5	0	0
Bridport Post Office Staff...	...	...	...	1	10	0
Bridport Electric Palace ...	...	...	...	3	3	0
Barrett, Mr. ...	...	...	...		10	0
Bates, Mr. ...	...	...	...		5	0
Colfox, Miss ...	...	...	...	5	0	0
Collett, Mr. ...	...	...	...	1	0	0
Cox & Humphries, Messrs.	...	...	...	1	1	0
Colfox, Col. T. A.	...	...	...	5	0	0
Colfox, Mrs. T. A.	...	...	...	5	0	0
Compton, Mrs. ...	...	...	...	1	0	0
Compton, Miss ...	...	...	...	1	0	0
Colman, Mr. ...	...	...	...		10	6
Collins, Miss ...	...	...	...		5	0
Chandler, Mr. ...	...	...	...		5	0

Carried forward £48 17 6

				£	s.	d.
	Brought forward			48	17	6
Cooper, Mr. ...	...	...	...		5	0
Cornick, Mr. W. G.	...	...	...	1	1	0
Dammers, Major G. M.	...	...	...	1	0	0
Downs, Miss ...	...	...	...		10	0
Dammers, Mrs. ...	...	...	...	1	0	0
Day, Mr. & Mrs. J.	...	...	...	1	1	0
Edwards, Mr. W. S.	...	...	...	1	0	0
Edwards, Mrs. W. S.	...	...	...	1	0	0
Evans, Rev. Gomer	...	...	...		5	0
Foot, Ltd., Messrs. James	...	...	...	1	0	0
Frost, Mr. W. ...	...	...	...	1	1	0
Frisby, Messrs. ...	...	...	...	1	1	0
Felstone, Mr. A. J.	...	...	...	1	0	0
Fletcher, Messrs.	...	...	...	1	1	0
Gundry, Mrs. J. P. F.	...	...	...	3	0	0
Gundry, Mrs. A. T.	...	...	...	3	0	0
Gundry & Co., Messrs.	...	...	...	5	5	0
Good, Mr. N. ...	...	...	...	1	1	0
Gyngell & Shepherd, Messrs.	...	...	...		5	0
Gillingham, Mrs.	...	...	...		10	0
Gale & Son, Messrs.	...	...	...	1	1	0
Guppy, Messrs. ...	...	...	...		5	0
Hounsell, Mr. H. H.	...	...	...	1	0	0
Huxter, Mrs. ...	...	...	...		10	0
Hansford, Mr. E. A.	...	...	...	1	1	0
Honey, Mr. ...	...	...	...		10	0
Howard, Mr. S. E.	...	...	...	1	1	0
Hill, Major ...	...	...	...	5	5	0
Hansford, Mr. F. G.	...	...	...	1	1	0
Hounsells (Bridport) Ltd., Messrs.	...	...	...	2	2	0
Holden, Mrs. ...	...	...	...	1	1	0
Hine & Son, Messrs.	...	...	...		5	0
Hanger, Mrs. ...	...	...	...		5	0
Henslowe, Mrs.	...	...	...	2	2	0
Henslowe, Miss	...	...	...	2	2	0
James & Co., Messrs.	...	...	...	1	1	0
Jenkins, Mrs. ...	...	...	...	1	0	0

Carried forward £95 15 6

				£	s.	d.
			Brought forward	95	15	6
Kynsey, Lady	...	...	...	1	1	0
Knight, Mr. F. W.	...	...	...	1	0	0
Lawrey, Miss	...	...	...		5	0
Langdon, Mr. H.	...	...	...	1	1	0
Lewis, Mrs.	...	...	...		10	0
Loud, Messrs.	...	...	...	1	1	0
Lloyds Bank Ltd.	...	...	...	1	1	0
Lee, Mr.	...	...	...		5	0
Matthews, Mr.	...	...	...		5	0
Macdonald, Mr. J. O.	...	...	...	1	1	0
Macdonald, Mrs. J. O.	...	...	...	1	1	0
Maynard, Mrs.	...	...	...		5	0
Male, Mr. J. T.	...	...	...		5	0
Marsh, Mr. G. R.	...	...	...	1	0	0
Margrie, Mr.	...	...	...	1	1	0
Morey, Mrs.	...	...	...	1	0	0
Menzies, Rev.	...	...	...		5	0
Norman, Mrs.	...	...	...		5	0
Nantes, Mr. C. G.	...	...	...	2	0	0
Parsons, Mr. J. C.	...	...	...	1	1	0
Palmer, Messrs. J. C. & R. H.	...	...	...	1	1	0
Pearson Hill, Miss	...	...	...	1	1	0
Perkins, Mr. A. H.	...	...	...	1	0	0
Phillips, Mrs.	...	...	...		10	0
Ralls & Son, Messrs.	...	...	...	1	0	0
Ralls, Mr. R. C.	...	...	...	1	0	0
Rendall, Mr. H. A.	...	...	...	1	1	0
Rendall & Coombs, Messrs.	...	...	...	2	2	0
Rendall, Mr. E. P.	...	...	...	1	0	0
Roberts, Mr. E.	...	...	...	1	1	0
Reynolds, Mrs.	...	...	...	1	0	0
Reynolds, Miss	...	...	...		10	0
Roper, Mr. J.	...	...	...	1	0	0
Shoesmith, Mr. T.	...	...	...	1	1	0
Suttill, Misses	...	...	...		10	0
Stephens, Mr. A. N.	...	...	...	2	2	0
Scadding, Mrs.	...	...	...		10	0

Carried forward £128 17 6

					£	s.	d.
				Brought forward	128	17	6
Sprake, Mrs. ...	...	...	...	...	1	1	0
Swindell, Mr. W. C. ...	...	...	...	...	1	0	0
Stephens, Mrs. ...	...	...	...	...	1	0	0
Smith & Smith, Messrs. ...	...	...	...	...	1	1	0
Tapper, Mr. & Mrs. ...	...	...	...	...	1	10	0
Turner, Mr. F. ...	...	...	...	...	1	0	0
Travers, Mr. A. E. ...	...	...	...	...		6	0
Temple, Mrs. R. ...	...	...	...	...		10	6
Tucker, Capt. J. A. C. ...	...	...	...	...	2	2	0
Trump, Mr. W. ...	...	...	...	...	1	0	0
Udal, Mr. ...	...	...	...	...	1	0	0
Wright, Miss ...	...	...	...	...	1	1	0
Williams, Sir R. ...	...	...	...	...	3	3	0
Wilkinson, Mr. ...	...	...	...	...	1	1	0
World's Stores, Messrs. ...	...	...	...	...	2	2	0
Whetham & Son, Messrs.	2	2	0
Whitemore, Mr. S. D.	1	1	0
Weeks, Mr. C.	2	2	0
Weeks, Mr. F.	1	0	0
Weston, Mr.	1	1	0
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Bradpole—

Chard, Mr. E. A.	2	0	0			
Suttill, Mr. H. S.	1	1	0			
Women's Institute	1	1	0	4	2	0

Bothenhampton—

Fell-Smith, Mrs. ...	...	...	1	1	0			
Barrett, Mrs. ...	...	...		5	0			
Glossop, Admiral ...	...	...	5	0	0			
Plumptre, Mr. R. C. E. ...	...	...	3	3	0			
Plumptre, Mrs.		10	6			
Plumptre, Capt.		10	0			
Raymond, Mrs.		5	0			
Whetham, Mrs. A.	1	1	0	11	15	6
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Carried forward					£170	18	6	

			£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Brought forward						170	18	6
Beaminster—								
Beaminster Guardians	3	3	0			
Drysdale, Mrs.	...	...	1	1	0			
Dyer, Mrs.	...	...	1	1	0			
Forsayeth, Mrs.	...	...	1	0	0			
Hutchings, Rev.	...	...	1	1	0			
Nelson, Mr.	...	...	1	0	0			
Manfield, Mr.	...	...	1	0	0			
Monkswell, Lady	...	...		10	0			
Moorhouse, Mrs.	...	...	1	1	0			
Ronald, Mr.	2	2	0			
Ramsden, Mrs.	1	1	0			
Trotman, Mr. F.	1	1	0			
Vaughan Johnson, Mr.	2	2	0	17	5	0
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Broadwindsor—								
Douglas, Miss A.	1	0	0			
Stavely, Mrs.	1	0	0	2	0	0
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Burton Bradstock—								
Mercer, Mrs.	1	0	0			
Sturdy, Mr. E. T.	1	0	0			
Waller, Dr.	1	1	0	3	1	0
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Charmouth—								
Bullen, Colonel	1	1	0			
Montagu, Mrs.	1	0	0	2	1	0
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Chideock—								
Butler Bowden, Mrs.		10	0			
Kindersly, Miss		10	0			
Roper, Mrs.	1	0	0			
Roper, Rev.	1	0	0			
Weld, Mr. H. F.	2	2	0	5	2	0
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Carried forward						£200	5	6

				£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Brought forward							200	5	6
Loders—									
Le Breton, Lt.-Col. E. P.	3	0	0			
Pymore Mill Co.	...	...	...	5	0	0			
Randall, Mr. E.	...	...	...		10	6	8	10	6
Litton Cheney—									
Percival, Miss	...	...	...				2	2	0
Melplash—									
Best, Hon. Mrs.	...	...	...	3	3	0			
Ballinger, Miss	...	...	...		10	6			
Gundry, Mrs. E. Bowden	...	...	...	1	1	0	4	14	6
Morcombelake—									
Anderson, Lt.-Col.	...	...	...	1	0	0			
Beale, Mrs.	...	...	...	1	0	0			
Henley, Mr. W. T.	...	...	...		10	0			
Moores, Mr. A. D.	...	...	...	1	0	0			
Stewart, Miss	...	...	...		5	0	3	15	0
Mapperton—									
Earle, Rev.	...	...	...	1	0	0			
Labouchere, Mrs.	...	...	...	2	0	0	3	0	0
Netherbury—									
Compton, Miss	...	...	...	1	0	0			
Davy, Mrs.	...	...	...	1	0	0			
Moore, Mr.	...	...	...		10	0			
Hodges, Mr. J. B.	...	...	...	1	0	0			
Jowett, Mr.	...	...	...	2	2	0			
Kitson, Col. H. L.	...	...	...	1	1	0			
Kitson, Mrs.	...	...	...	1	1	0			
Stewart Peters, Mr.	...	...	...	1	1	0			
Vallings, Mrs.	...	...	...	1	1	0	9	16	0
Carried forward							£232	3	6

				£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
			Brought forward				252	3	6
Stoke Abbott—									
Fox, Mrs.	1	1	0			
Fox, Admiral	1	0	0			
Sick Club	1	1	0			
Women's Institute		1	0	0	4	2	0
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Symondsburry—

Colfox, Major W. P.	2	0	0			
Colfox, Mrs.	1	1	0			
Cookson, Mrs.	1	1	0			
Dibben, Mrs.	1	1	0			
Domville, Mrs. ...	...	...	...	1	0	0			
Edmunds, Mr. E. B. ...	...	...	...	1	0	0			
Edmunds, Miss ...	...	...	...		5	0			
Johnson, Mr. A. ...	...	...	...	1	1	0			
Mullock, Mr. R.	1	0	0			
Oddfellows Friendly Society	1	1	0			
Spiers, Mr. W. W.	1	1	0			
Sweet, Rev.	2	2	0	15	15	0
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Walditch—

Blacker, Col.	1	1	0			
Stone, Mr. E. W.	5	3	0			
Women's Institute...	1	1	0	5	5	0
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							£255	3	6

1926 ACCOUNT.

Balson, Messrs. R. J. & W.	1	1	0			
Earle, Rev.	1	0	0			
Moore, Mrs.		10	0			
Holden, Mrs.	1	1	0	5	12	0
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							£258	15	6
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DONATIONS & LEGACIES.

	£	s.	d.
Mr. J. C. Parsons	100	0	0
Legacy under the will of G. F. Udal, decd.	250	0	0
Employees of North Mills		4	6
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	£350	4	6

CONGREGATIONAL COLLECTIONS.

	£	s.	d.
Allington Church	2	17	10
Askerswell Church	2	8	7
Bradpole Church	2	0	0
Baptist Church, Bridport	2	11	8
Bridport St. Andrew's Church	2	14	5
Bridport Wesleyan Church	4	10	0
Bridport Unitarian Church	3	5	0
Bridport Catholic Church	1	7	6
Bridport St. Mary's Church	8	10	6
Bridport Congregational Church	3	12	7
Bridport Men's Adult School		10	0
Beaminster Church	3	0	0
Bothenhampton & Walditch Churches	6	1	6
Bettiscombe Church	1	6	0
Broadwindsor & Burstock Churches	4	0	0
Burton Bradstock Church	4	4	0
Broadwindsor Gospel Hall... ..	1	1	0
Chilcombe Church	4	13	7
Chideock Church	4	4	0
Dottery Church		3	10
Loders Church	1	16	7
Litton Cheney Church	2	8	3
Melplash Church	2	12	3
Netherbury and Salway Ash Churches	8	4	2
Powerstock Church	2	2	0
Puncknowle & Swyre Churches	1	7	11
Pilsdon Church	1	3	0
Stoke Abbott Church	5	6	10
Symondsburry Church	12	11	0
West Bay Wesleyan Church		6	6
Whitchurch & Marshwood Churches	3	10	0
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	£104	10	6

MISCELLANEOUS RECEIPTS.

	£	s.	d.
Bridport Amateur Dramatic Society ...	12	12	0
Pound Day	7	15	9
Bridport Secondary School	13	10	0
Edwards' Charity Cup	5	0	0
J. & F. Creed, Daffodils	2	12	10
Rent	1	10	0
Miss Staples		5	0
Society of Children of Mary	14	14	6
Mayor's Carnival	168	7	11
Income Tax Recovered	13	10	4
Dorset Constabulary Athletic Club ...	16	16	0
Ships at West Bay	2	16	6

£259 10 10

COLLECTING BOXES, 1927.

	£	s.	d.
Greyhound Hotel		17	10
Bull Hotel		10	2
White Lion		1	0
Plymouth Inn		4	0
Cross Keys		5	0
Ship Inn		3	2
Hope & Anchor		1	6
Phoenix		3	0
Seven Stars		1	4
Railway Terminus		1	8
Dr. Colman		11	7
Hospital	4	11	5
George, West Bay		3	0
King's Head		5	0
Loders Arms		3	6
Half Moon, Melplash		6	3
New Inn, Beaminster		9	8
George, Broadwindsor		1	0
Gollop Arms, Bowood		1	9
Anchor, Salway Ash		12	0
Castle, Chideock		1	3
New Inn, Eype		1	6
Ilchester Arms		1	4
Three Horse Shoes, Burton Bradstock ...		2	11

£10 0 10

DISTRICT COLLECTIONS.

	Total Collection.			Subscriptions Collected.					
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Mrs. Plumptre, Bothenhampton	1	1	6		15	6		6	0
Miss Bromfield, Chideock ...	3	0	0				3	0	0
Mrs. Roper, Chideock ...	4	15	9	1	0	0	3	15	9
Miss Roper, Chideock ...		18	6					18	6
Miss Harris, Chideock ...		17	9					17	9
Miss Bishop, Chideock ...	1	18	8				1	18	8
Miss Haslehurst, Walditch ...	1	7	0				1	7	0
Mrs. W. P. Colfox, Symondsburv	5	0	0				5	0	0
Miss Henslowe, Bridport ...	1	19	6	1	10	0		9	6
Mrs. Whitemore, Bridport ...	3	13	6	3	2	0		11	6
Mr. W. T. Henley, Morcombelake	1	15	0	1	15	0			
Mr. Nott, West Bay ...	5	9	0	5	3	0		6	0
Mrs. Hansford, Bridport ...	16	14	0	15	13	0	1	1	0
Mrs. Perkins, Bridport ...	3	6	0	2	16	0		10	0
To Income & Expenditure Account							£20	1	8

LIFE GOVERNORS, DECEMBER, 31st, 1927

Showing amount of Donation and when it was paid.

		£	s.	d.
Sanctuary, Mr. C. F. S.	1904	10	0	0
Nicholson, Major H. B.	1904, 1920 & 1921	40	0	0
Roper, Dr. W.	1906 & 1918	100	0	0
Glossop, Admiral	1910, 1920 & 1921	20	0	0
Turner, Mrs. Fred	1916	10	0	0
Partridge, Mrs.	1919	10	0	0
Dammers, Major G. M.	1921	10	0	0
White, Mr. T.	1921	25	0	0
Parsons, Mr. J. C.	1924, 1925, 1926 & 1927	300	0	0
Glass Hooper Mr. G.	1926	52	10	0

SCHEDULE of INVESTMENTS at COST.

					£	s.	d.
£191	Southern Railway	5	per cent.				
	Preference Stock	...	...	...	300	0	0
£260	8	9d.	India $3\frac{1}{2}$	per cent. Stock...	267	14	0
£24	3	2d.	India $3\frac{1}{2}$	per cent. Stock ...	26	10	10
£38	16	1d.	Natal $3\frac{1}{2}$	per cent. Stock...	38	11	4
£56	2	8d.	Natal $3\frac{1}{2}$	per cent. Stock...	55	1	7
£1000	0	0d.	Natal $3\frac{1}{2}$	per cent. Stock...	700	0	0
£63	13	2d.	Consolidated Stock	$2\frac{1}{2}$ per cent. ...	50	0	0
£236	6	10d.	Consolidated Stock	$2\frac{1}{2}$ per cent. ...	139	6	1
£100	0	0d.	Funding Stock	$4\frac{1}{2}$ per cent.	80	5	6
£1690	12	10d.	Conversion Stock	$4\frac{1}{2}$ per cent. ...	1302	19	6
£700	0	0d.	Conversion Stock	$4\frac{1}{2}$ per cent. ...	682	3	3
£255	10	0d.	Conversion Stock	$4\frac{1}{2}$ per cent. ...	250	0	0
					<u>£3892 12 1</u>		

LIST OF DIVIDENDS.

	£	s.	d.
$4\frac{1}{2}$ per cent. Conversion Loan	21	9	11
Consuls	7	10	0
India $3\frac{1}{2}$ per cent.	9	19	0
Natal Stock $3\frac{1}{2}$ per cent.	30	13	2
Southern Railway	7	12	10
$3\frac{1}{2}$ per cent. Conversion Loan	59	3	4
$4\frac{1}{2}$ per cent. Conversion Loan	15	15	0
4 per cent. Funding Loan	4	6	4
Lees Charity (L. M. & S. Railway)	60	0	0
<u>£216 9 7</u>			

LIST OF IN-PATIENTS TREATED DURING 1927.

No.	Age	Sex	Residence	Disease	Admitted	Discharg'd	Result
1	26	F	Bridport	Gastric Ulcer	1926 Dec. 19	1927 Jan. 3	Cured
2	13	M	Askerswell	Hydrocele	" 19	" 8	Cured
3	79	M	Uploders	Retention of Urine	" 21	" 1	Cured
4	33	F	Bridport	Fibroid Uterus	" 23	" 8	Cured
5	49	M	Shipton	Rheumatoid Arthritis	" 28	" 5	Relieved
6	42	F	Bridport	Hallux Valgus	" 30	" 8	Cured
7	18	M	Beamminster	Burns of Chest	May 17 1927	May 25	Improved
8	16	F	Uploders	Acute Rheumatism	Jan. 1	Feb. 7	Cured
9	70	M	Eype	Bronchitis	" 2	Jan. 11	Relieved
10	30	M	Netherbury	Fractured Patella	" 3	Feb. 15	Cured
11	64	F	Askerswell	Morbus Cordis	" 9	Jan. 10	Death
12	29	F	Reaminster	Fractured Leg	" 14	Feb. 14	Cured
13	6	M	Broadoak	Adenoids and Tonsils	" 23	Jan. 25	Cured
14	12	F	Netherbury	Adenoids and Tonsils	" 23	" 25	Cured
15	44	F	Allington	Dyspepsia	" 24	Feb. 7	Cured
16	39	F	Burton	Abdominal Adhesions	" 25	April 5	Relieved
17	66	F	Symondsbury	Hæmorrhoids	" 27	Feb. 7	Cured
18	27	F	Walditch	Dental Caries	" 29	Jan. 30	Cured
19	72	F	Allington	Broncho Pneumonia	" 31	Feb. 28	Cured
20	24	F	Burton	Neurasthenia	Feb. 3	Mar. 12	Cured
21	6	M	Bradpole	Tonsils and Adenoids	" 6	Feb. 8	Cured
22	19	M	Watton	Pleurisy	" 9	Mar. 29	Cured
23	68	M	Powerstock	Retention of Urine	" 11	Feb. 28	Relieved
24	70	M	Uploders	Retention of Urine	" 12	Mar. 4	Cured
25	53	F	Watton	Pneumonia	" 12	" 29	Cured
26	68	M	Watton	Pneumonia	" 12	" 29	Cured

LIST OF IN-PATIENTS TREATED DURING 1927 (continued.)

No.	Age	Sex	Residence	Disease	Admitted	Discharg'd	Result
27	58	M	Bridport	Stricture of Urethra	Feb. 15	Mar. 15	Cured
28	61	M	Bridport	Pleurisy	" 15	April 30	Cured
29	62	F	Moorbath	Appendicitis	" 18	Mar. 12	Cured
30	41	F	Stoke Abbott	Pleurisy	" 19	April 6	Death
31	27	M	Beamminster	Gastric Catarrh	" 24	Mar. 5	Cured
32	12	M	Burton Bradstock	Enlarged Tonsils	Mar. 13	" 15	Cured
33	65	F	Bridport	Arterial Sclerosis	" 17	" 31	Relieved
34	38	F	Bridport	Retroversion of Uterus	" 20	Mar. 24	Relieved
35	34	F	Beamminster	Appendicitis	" 21	May 2	Cured
36	5	F	Bridport	Enlarged Tonsils	" 22	Mar. 29	Cured
37	31	M	Stoke Abbott	Tubercule of Testis	" 2	April 30	Cured
38	51	M	Allington	Inguinal Hernia	April 2	" 22	Cured
39	17	M	Allington	Enlarged Tonsils	" 3	" 13	Cured
40	45	F	Allington	Hæmorrhoids	" 5	May 4	Cured
41	24	F	Pymore	Rheumatism Acute	April 6	May 19	Death
42	41	M	Bridport	Fractured Tibia	" 8	Nov. 21	Cured
43	28	M	Bridport	Inguinal Hernia	" 16	May 28	Cured
44	39	F	Allington	Carcinoma of Uterus	" 26	" 8	Death
45	24	F	Bridport	Retained Placenta	" 27	" 15	Cured
46	52	M	Bridport	Strangulated Hernia	" 28	" 18	Cured
47	42	F	Burton Bradstock	Gastric Catarrh	" 29	" 27	Cured
48	63	M	Shipton	Phlebitis ...	" 30	" 21	Cured
49	33	M	Netherbury	Synovitis of Knee	May 3	" 7	Cured
50	52	F	Chideock	Hallux Valgus	" 5	" 7	Cured
51	7	F	Chideock	Enlarged Tonsils	" 6	" 7	Cured
52	42	F	Burton	Scalp Wound	" 7	" 18	Cured
53	30	F	Bridport	Acute Rheumatism	" 9	June 15	Cured

LIST OF IN-PATIENTS TREATED DURING 1927 (continued.)

No.	Age	Sex	Residence	Disease	Admitted	Discharg'd	Result
54	29	F	West Bay	Double Hallux Valgus	May 10	July 5	Cured
55	11	M	Allington	Coucussion	" 11	May 24	Cured
56	65	M	Dottery	Carcinoma of Aesoplagus	" 15	" 24	Death
57	56	F	Chideock	Subacute Rheumatism	" 17	July 24	Cured
58	39	F	Allington	Broncho Pneumonia	" 19	May 30	Death
59	6	F	Milton	Appendicitis	" 25	30	Death
60	30	F	Bridport	Hysteria	" 25	" 29	Cured
61	17	M	Allington	Coucussion	" 26	" 2	Cured
62	38	F	Coombe	Cerebral Hemorrhage	" 30	July 21	Improved
63	23	F	Morecombelake	Ischio Rectal Abscess	" 30	Sept. 26	Cured
64	42	F	Walditch	Sebaceous Cyst of Scalp	June 8	June 25	Cured
65	68	F	Bridport	Strangulated Inguinal Hernia	" 8	" 25	Cured
66	53	F	Bradpole	Abdominal Tumour	" 9	" 20	Relieved
67	24	M	Powerstock	Cut Tendons	" 11	Aug. 6	Cured
68	43	M	Beamminster	Severed Brachial Artery	" 24	July 5	Cured
69	77	F	Allington	Gastric Catarh	" 25	22	Cured
70	77	M	Allington	Varicose Ulcer of Leg	July 6	Aug. 16	Cured
71	16	F	Allington	Appendicitis	" 8	3	Cured
72	74	M	Loders	Hemiplegia	" 11	Sept. 6	Relieved
73	45	F	Eype	Endometritis	" 16	27	Cured
74	34	F	Askerswell	Gastritis	" 16	16	Cured
75	28	F	Symonds bury	Enlarged Tonsils	" 18	25	Cured
76	14	F	Beamminster	Appendicitis	" 19	Aug. 6	Cured
77	26	F	Loders	Empyema	" 19	27	Cured
78	53	M	Bridport	Inguinal Hernia	" 19	6	Cured
79	22	M	Netherbury	Appendicitis	" 30	Sept. 4	Cured
80	55	M	Bradpole	Facial Neuralgia	Aug. 7	Aug. 13	Cured

LIST OF IN-PATIENTS TREATED DURING 1927 (continued.)

No.	Age	Sex	Residence	Disease	Admitted	Discharg'd	Result
81	8	M	Symonds bury	Enlarged Tonsils	Aug. 7	Aug. 9	Cured
82	32	F	Bridport	Varicose Ulcer	" 8	Sept. 2	Cured
83	6	M	Chideock	Adenoids	" 8	Aug. 9	Cured
84	7	M	Chideock	Tonsils and Adenoids	" 14	" 16	Cured
85	38	M	Moorbath	Septic Mouth	" 15	" 27	Cured
86	23	F	Netherbury	Appendicitis	" 29	Oct. 1	Cured
87	30	F	Bridport	Appendicitis	" 29	Sept. 10	Cured
88	10	F	Allington	Tonsils and Adenoids	" 28	Aug. 30	Cured
89	6	F	Bridport	Inguinal Hernia	" 30	Sept. 18	Cured
90	42	F	Bridport	Dilated Stomach	" 30	" 17	Cured
91	60	M	Loders	Phlebitis of Leg	Sept. 6	Oct. 12	Cured
92	14	M	Bridport	Tonsils and Adenoids	" 7	Sept. 8	Cured
93	16	F	Bridport	Tonsils and Adenoids	" 7	" 8	Cured
94	80	M	Loders	Retention of Urine	" 8	" 22	Cured
95	18	F	Bridport	Tonsils	" 10	" 12	Cured
96	43	M	Burton	Contused Neck and Shoulders	" 13	" 10	Cured
97	8	M	Bridport	Abscess of Elbow	" 15	Oct. 28	Cured
98	22	M	Bridport	Compound Fracture of Leg	" 18	Sept. 12	Cured
99	54	M	Askerswell	Intestinal Growth	" 19	Nov. 20	Removed
100	69	F	Allington	Pancreatitis	" 21	Sept. 28	Death
101	30	F	Bridport	Endometritis	" 22	Nov. 28	Death
102	8	M	Bridport	Tonsils and Adenoids	" 23	Oct. 8	Cured
103	66	F	Bridport	Lipoma of Shoulder	" 24	Sept. 25	Cured
104	56	M	Shipton	Burns of Abdomen and Leg	" 24	Oct. 11	Cured
105	19	F	Pilsdon	Appendicitis	" 26	Sept. 26	Death
106	80	M	Uploders	Enlarged Prostate	" 28	Oct. 23	Cured
107	26	M	Stoke Abbott	Peritonitis	Oct. 1	Nov. 7	Cured
					Oct. 1	Oct. 2	Death

LIST OF IN-PATIENTS TREATED DURING 1927 (continued.)

No.	Age	Sex	Residence	Disease	Admitted	Discharg'd	Result
108	4	M	Bridport	Fractured Femur	Oct. 4	Nov. 15	Cured
109	24	M	Bridport	Concussion	" 7	Oct. 15	Cured
110	12	M	Allington	Ingrowing Toenail	" 11	Nov. 6	Cured
111	65	M	Melplash	Appendicitis	" 11	Oct. 14	Death
112	22	F	Drimpton	Varicose Ulcers of Leg	" 12	Nov. 6	Cured
113	42	F	Bothenhampton	Morbus Cordis	" 13	In	Hospital
114	45	M	Bridport	Double Inguinal Hernia	" 18	Nov. 15	Cured
115	39	F	Bridport	Colitis	" 22	10	Cured
116	20	M	Melplash	Varicocele	" 23	Dec. 1	Cured
117	27	M	Beamminster	Duodinal Ulcer	" 24	20	Cured
118	46	F	Burton	Renal Calculus	" 24	Nov. 2	Cured
119	49	F	Charmouth	Nephritis	" 26	" 27	Cured
120	16	M	Allington	Cervical Adinitis	" 30	16	Cured
121	65	F	Allington	Varicose Veins	Nov. 15	In	Hospital
122	5	M	Bridport	Tonsils and Adenoids	" 28	Dec. 7	Cured
123	56	F	Bridport	Laryngitis	Dec. 1	17	Cured
124	32	F	Bridport	Enlarged Tonsils	" 5	" 9	Cured
125	12	M	Chedington	Cervical Adinitis	" 6	In	Hospital
126	17	F	Beamminster	Gastric Catarrh	" 8	Dec. 21	Cured
127	26	M	Askerswell	Scalp Wound	" 10	In	Hospital
128	42	F	West Milton	Cholecystitis	" 11	In	Hospital
129	8	M	Loders	Tonsils and Adenoids	" 11	Dec. 14	Cured
130	63	M	Bridport	Abscess of Eyelid	" 28	In	Hospital
131	80	M	Loders	Retention of Urine	" 29	In	Hospital
132	66	F	Bridport	Phlebitis	" 30	In	Hospital
133	10	M	Bridport	Webb Foot	" 30	In	Hospital
134	20	F	Bridport	Appendicitis	" 30	In	Hospital

IN-PATIENTS TREATED.

Allington	... 17
Askerswell	... 5
Beaminster	... 8
Bothenhampton	... 1
Bradpole	... 3
Bridport	... 39
Burton Bradstock	... 7
Charmouth	... 1
Cheddington	... 1
Chideock	... 5
Coombe	... 1
Dottery	... 1
Drimpton	... 1
Eype	... 2
Broadoak	... 1
Loders	... 6
Morcombelake	... 1
Melplash	... 2
Netherbury	... 5
Moorbath	... 2
Pilsdon	... 1
Milton	... 2
Powerstock	... 2
Pymore	... 1
Shipton	... 3
Stoke Abbott	... 3
Symondsbury	... 3
Uploders	... 4
Walditch	... 2
Watton	... 3
West Bay	... 1

Total 134

OUT-PATIENTS TREATED.

Allington	... 22
Bradpole	... 3
Bridport	... 36
Powerstock	... 1
Morcombelake	... 1
Symondsbury	... 2
Whitchurch	... 1
Uploders	... 2
Chideock	... 2
Dottery	... 1
Netherbury	... 3

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IN-PATIENTS TREATED.

			1927	1926	1925
Cured	103	105	88
Relieved	6	7	14
Transferred	2	1	2
Improved	2	—	—
Un-relieved	—	1	1
Died	11	11	7
In Hospital	10	7	12
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	Total		134	132	124
Average Stay			23·71	25·87	26·01
Beds fully occupied			8·7	9·36	8·84
Out-patients treated			74	72	84

HOSPITAL PRESIDENTS.

1867—T. Colfox	1903—W. Colfox
1868—J. Gundry	1904—J. Beach
1869—J. Gundry	1905—J. T. Stephens
1870—J. Gundry	1906—J. Suttill
1871—J. Gundry	1907—W. E. Randall
1874—J. Gundry	1908—E. P. Rendall
1878—J. Gundry	1909—J. J. Roper
1879—T. Colfox	1910—T. A. Colfox
1880—W. Colfox	1911—W. James
1881—C. Edmunds	1912—H. Suttill
1882—S. W. Whetham	1913—J. Gundry
1883—F. W. Gundry	1914—F. B. L. Maunsell
1884—J. P. Suttill	1915—J. T. Stephens
1885—R. D. Thornton	1916—W. S. Edwards
1886—W. T. Whetham	1917—W. S. Edwards
1887—T. A. Colfox	1918—Lieut.-Col. T. A.
1888—S. Whetham	Colfox
1889—A. W. H. Dammers	1919—J. O. MacDonald
1890—J. J. Roper	1920—Major Nicholson
1891—J. Beach	1921—Major G. M.
1892—J. T. Stevens	Dammers
1893—J. H. Martin	1922—Lieut.-Col. E. P.
1894—H. Rendall	Le Breton
1895—C. G. Nantes	1923—E. B. Edmunds
1896—R. Tucker, junr.	1924—Rear-Admiral J.
1897—J. Buckpitt	Glossop
1898—W. James	1925—Rear-Admiral J.
1899—G. T. Udall	Glossop
1900—H. S. Suttill	1926—S. E. Howard
1901—J. Gundry	1927—Admiral Fox
1902—W. Russel	1928—Major J. Gundry

LEGACIES.

				£	s.	d.
1873	Mrs. Hannah Colfox	...	...	50	0	0
1873	Mrs. Hannah Colfox's Executors					
	(for Convalescent Branch)			569	0	0
1881	Mrs. Fooks	...	...	19	19	0
1883	Miss Carter	...	...	10	0	0
1885	J. S. Baker	...	...	100	0	0
1888	Thomas Hanham	...	...	300	0	0
1889	Miss Wansey	...	...	50	0	0
1897	Mrs. Chick	...	...	500	0	0
1898	Mrs. Giles	...	...	50	0	0
1898	Miss Baker	...	...	5	0	0
1899	Miss Tucker	...	...	50	0	0
1901	William Hanham, proceeds of Sale					
	of Land	...	...	82	19	0
1905	William Hounsell	...	...	1000	0	0
1905	A. R. James	...	...	100	0	0
1907	Henry Keech	...	...	50	0	0
1909	R. C. Tucker	...	...	50	0	0
1912	Miss Jones	...	...	200	0	0
1912	Mrs. Morey	...	...	50	0	0
1916	Mrs. F. J. Northover	...	...	10	0	0
1922	Miss Lousia Budden	...	...	5	0	0
1923	Miss Mary Martha Roberts	20	0	0
1924	Mrs. S. W. Whetham	25	0	0
1925	Mrs. W. E. Randall	52	10	0
1927	Mr. G. F. Udal	250	0	0
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				£3599	8	0

Any person desirous of bequeathing a Legacy to this Institution is respectfully requested to make use of the following

FORM OF BEQUEST.

" I give and bequeath to the Treasurer for the time being of the Bridport Hospital, at Bridport, the Sum of _____ free of Legacy Duty, for the general purpose of the said Institution, and I declare that the receipt of the Treasurer for the time being of such Institution shall be a sufficient discharge for the same.

GIFTS PRESENTED DURING 1927.

Brown and Wright,		
the Misses	Magazines	
Bothenhampton		
Women's Institute	Eggs	
Bridport Women's Institute	Eggs	
Broadwindsor		
Flower Service	Eggs and Flowers	
Bridport Baptist Chapel ...	Eggs and Flowers	
Beaminster		
Congregational Church	Eggs	
Beckingsale, Mrs. ...	Raspberries	
Beaminster		
Women's Institute	Potatoes	
Broadwindsor		
Women's Institute	Potatoes	
Bradpole Harvest Festival	Vegetables and Fruit	
Broadwindsor		
Harvest Festival	Vegetables and Fruit	
Beaminster		
Harvest Festival	Vegetables and Fruit	
Burton Bradstock		
Harvest Festival	Vegetables and Fruit,	
	Groceries and Toys	
Bowden Butler, Mr. ...	Books	
Bradpole School Children	Vegetables,	
	Fruit and Groceries	
Colman, Dr. ...	Magazines	
Compton, Mrs. ...	Cakes, Fruit,	
	Biscuits and Cream	
Chideock Harvest Festival	Jam, Bread,	
	Vegetables and Fruit	
Chilcombe Harvest Festival	Vegetables and Fruit	
Dorset Daily Echo		
Proprietors	Dorset Daily Echo, daily	
Edwards, Mrs. W. S. ...	Dressing Gown	
Fell Smith, Mrs. ...	Papers and Flowers	
Francillon, Mrs. ...	Cakes	
Foot, Mr. G. ...	Fruit	
Frost, Mr. W. ...	Bridport News, weekly	
Glossop, Admiral ...	Magazines	

Gifts Presented During 1927—contd.

George, Mr. R.	...	Buns and Crackers
Gale, Mr. W.	...	Christmas Cake
Gluning, Mrs.	...	Slippers
Henley, Mr.	...	Apples
Howard, Mr.	...	Magazines
Huxter, Mrs.	...	Apples
Hansford, Mrs. E.	...	Christmas Cake
Loders Harvest Festival	...	Eggs and Grapes
Mackenzie, Miss	...	Vegetables
Montagu, Mrs.	...	Flowers and Fruit
Manning, Mr.	...	Vegetable Marrow
Netherbury		and Fruit
Harvest Festival		Vegetables,
Netherbury		Fruit and Eggs
Women's Institute		Potatoes
Powell, Mrs.	...	Flowers
Pilsdon Harvest Festival		Bread, Eggs,
		Vegetables and Fruit
Roberts, Mr. E.	...	Flour
Stevens, Mr.	...	Apples
Shephard, Mr. J.	...	Brushes
Suttill, Mr. H. S.	...	Apples
Shipton Gorge		
Harvest Festival		Eggs, Vegetables and Fruit
Stoke Abbott		
Harvest Festival		Flowers, Eggs,
Stoke Abbott		Vegetables and Fruit
Women's Institute		Potatoes and Eggs
Symondsbury		
Harvest Festival		Vegetables and Fruit
Symondsbury Show	...	Flowers and Vegetables
Stephens, Mrs. W.	...	Papers
Tapper, Mrs.	...	Illustrated Papers
Travers, Mr. A. G.	...	Cakes and Mince Pies
Telegraph (Daily)		
Proprietors		Daily Telegraph, daily
Vincent, Mr.	...	Eggs
Walditch Church	...	Flowers, Fruit and Eggs
West Milton		
Harvest Festival		Vegetables and Fruit
West Bay Harvest Festival		Vegetables and Fruit

RULES.

1. This Charity shall be called the Bridport Hospital.

2. It shall be supported by voluntary contributions and by funds derivable from Mrs. Lee's Endowment, the Trustees of which shall have the power to withdraw the same at the end of any year by giving the General Committee 6 months' Notice—or immediately on the abrogation of Rule 22.

COMMITTEE OF MANAGEMENT.

3. The affairs of the Hospital (except such as are subject to Meetings of Governors) shall be under the direction of a Committee (herein called the "General Committee"); consisting of a President, Treasurer, Secretary, Medical Officers, Surgeon Dentists, the Trustees of Mr. Thomas Hanham's Charity, who are ipso facto Trustees of the Hospital, one Trustee of Mrs. Lee's Endowment (so long as the funds from that Endowment shall be contributed to the support of the Hospital), the Mayor of Bridport for the time being, and by 12 Governors to be chosen at the Annual Meeting of Governors.

4. The President, Treasurer and Secretary shall hold office, until the Annual Meeting of Governors next following the date of their election. They shall be eligible for re-election.

5. Of the 12 elected members of the General Committee three shall retire by rotation each year at the Annual Meeting of Governors and shall not be eligible for re-election for the period of one year.

6. Any vacancy occurring on the General Committee by death, retirement or otherwise, between one Annual Meeting and the next, may be filled by the General Committee, but any person so chosen, shall (subject to confirmation at the next Annual Meeting of Governors) retain his or her office so long as the deceased or retiring Member would have retained the same if the vacancy had not occurred.

7. The General Committee shall meet once in every quarter.

8. At each meeting of the General Committee, four shall form a quorum, and in the absence of the President, a Chairman shall be appointed by the Members present.

9. The General Committee shall have power to make and enforce regulations for the good government of the Hospital, provided they are not inconsistent with these rules.

10. The Secretary shall summon a Special Meeting of the General Committee if requested to do so in writing by any four members.

11. The General Committee shall annually appoint six of their members to act, together with the President, Treasurer and Secretary, as a House Committee, who shall meet monthly. Three shall form a quorum. Their duties shall consist in the

general inspection and supervision of the Hospital, and the ordering of the necessary supplies. They shall order such repairs and articles as are absolutely necessary, and submit a report to the General Committee at their next Quarterly Meeting.

GOVERNORS AND SUBSCRIBERS.

12. A Donor of £10 and upwards shall be a life Governor and a Subscriber of £1 and upwards an Annual Governor, during the continuance of his subscription. Subscribers who have not paid a subscription of the requisite amount for the Hospital year immediately preceding the holding of the Annual Meeting of Governors, shall not be entitled to vote as Governors.

13. An Annual Meeting of Governors shall be held in the month of January in each year, at which not less than eight Governors entitled to vote at that meeting shall form a quorum, for the purpose of receiving Report and Statement of Accounts from the General Committee, electing Officers and Members of Committee, making any alteration in the Rules that may seem advisable and for general business. The General Committee shall have power to summon a Special Meeting of Governors at any time should occasion arise ; and shall do so at any time on the requisition of six Governors.

14. No new rule shall be adopted, or old rule altered, save at an Annual Meeting of Governors ; and notice shall be sent by the Secretary to each Governor, as far as practicable of such proposition, at least a week before the meeting.

15. A contribution of £3 or upwards made by any Religious Community, Body of Trustees, Corporation, Public Company, Friendly Society or Firm entitles such body to nominate, in writing, a person to act as " Annual Governor " on their behalf. A contribution of £30 or upwards entitles any such body to nominate a " Life Governor." Such Annual or Life Governors shall have all the rights and privileges of Governors as laid down by these Rules

16. A Life Governor shall for every £10 and an Annual Governor for every £1 during a year for which he has paid his subscription, be entitled to recommend annually one Patient to the Hospital, and two to the Out-Patients' Department, or five Patients to the Out-Patients Department, and may be allowed to exchange three tickets for the latter for one Hospital ticket.

17. A Subscriber of 5/- shall be entitled to recommend one patient ; a Subscriber of 10/- two patients ; and a Subscriber of 15/- three patients annually to the Out-Patients' Department, during a year for which he has paid his Subscription.

18. The Minister of any Church or Chapel and any Society making a collection on behalf of the Hospital shall be entitled to Hospital and/or Dispensary Tickets on the same scale as Governors or Subscribers (see Rules 16 and 17.)

19. The Recommendations shall be valid only during the current year and shall entitle the holder to Medical Relief for one month from the date of issue. Each Out-Patient's Department ticket must be accompanied by payment of 1/-; each Hospital ticket by payment of 2/6.

20. The Treasurer, Medical Officers, and Surgeon Dentists shall each have the privilege of a Subscriber of £3.

PROPERTY OF THE HOSPITAL.

21. The Property of the Hospital shall be vested in the Trustees for the time being of Thomas Hanham's Charity.

22. The General Committee shall from time to time direct such Trustees to invest the funds of the Hospital in such securities as for the time being may be authorised for the investment of Trust Funds, and shall have power from time to time to realize or vary such securities.

GENERAL.

23. In case there should be more applicants for admission than can be accommodated the admission shall be in order of the urgency of the cases, preference being given to the inhabitants of the Borough of Bridport.

24. Accidents and urgent cases shall be admitted at any time if there be room.

25. No one shall be admissible as a Hospital patient who is suffering from confirmed pulmonary tuberculosis, any mental or infectious disease, or any such chronic complaint as is not likely to be benefited by Hospital treatment.

26. The Out-Patients' Department shall be open on days fixed by the House Committee, for the purpose of seeing and treating Out-Patients.

27. Members of a Sick Club, and Insured Persons, are not eligible as Out Patients unless accompanied by a letter from their own Medical Attendant asking for a further opinion.

28. Persons actually in receipt of Parish Relief are not eligible as Out-Patients, but patients who, after being admitted to the Out-Patients' Department are obliged to apply to the Parish, shall not be disqualified on that account.

29. The House Committee shall have power to reject any out-patient they may deem unsuitable; notice shall be sent to the Subscriber recommending the Patient of the reason of such rejection; the recommendation shall be returned to the Subscriber.

30. Out-patients must apply in the first instance personally, on the day and at the hour appointed by the House Committee. They must bring their own bottles, etc.

31. The Medical Officers and Dental Surgeons shall be appointed by the General Committee. They shall be duly qualified and registered.

32. Subscriptions are payable in advance and considered due on the 1st January.

33. All In-patients are liable to pay a fee of 3/- per week and upwards which may be modified at the discretion of the House Committee.

34. The two small wards are for the use of Private Patients at a minimum charge of Three Guineas per week, or if required for a few days only, 10/6 per day. These charges being for Board Residence and attendance.

REGULATIONS

RESPECTING THE

CONVALESCENT BRANCH OF THE BRIDPORT HOSPITAL.

1. Convalescent Patients of the Bridport Hospital may be sent to the Bridport Harbour or elsewhere, and the expenses of their being so sent, and their maintenance there, paid out of the income of a fund given in accordance with a charitable bequest under the will of the late Mrs. Hannah Colfox.

2. All arrangements for such Patients shall be under the direction and management of a Committee, to be called the Convalescent Committee, to be chosen annually by the Committee of the Bridport Hospital, at their first meeting after the Annual General Meeting of Governors, and to consist of three Governors and three of the Ladies' Committee of the Hospital. The President of the Bridport Hospital to be *ex-Officio* a member of the Convalescent Committee.

3. The Convalescent Committee shall choose one of their number as Hon. Secretary and Treasurer.

4. Convalescent poor, not Patients of the Bridport Hospital and other poor persons who would likely to be benefited by such a change may, at the discretion and under the direction and management of the Convalescent Committee, and at the expense of the same fund be sent in like manner to Bridport Harbour or elsewhere.

5. The following cases shall be ineligible, viz.—Cases of epileptic or other fits ; of any disease requiring any active Medical or Surgical Treatment ; of Convalescents who are still in an infectious stage, or coming from an infected home.

6. In the event of there being more applications from time to time of Patients of the Bridport Hospital, or other poor persons, than can be met by the income of the aforesaid funds, selection shall be made in the order of the urgency of the cases, preference, however, to be always given to Inhabitants of the Borough of Bridport.

7. Anyone applying for the Benefits of the Branch shall do so to the Hon. Sec. of the Convalescent Committee, and must be previously provided with a Certificate from one of the Medical Officers that the case is one likely to be benefited by the change, and also with a Certificate of Character from the Clergyman of the Parish or the Minister of the Congregation to which the applicant belongs, or some respectable Householder.

8. The Convalescent Committee shall keep a Register of Persons willing to receive boarders

9. The Convalescent Committee shall be satisfied as to the comfort of the respective lodgings, and as to the ability of the owners to provide proper food, &c.

10. The term of stay of a patient shall in no case exceed a fortnight, unless on an application being made and brought before the Convalescent Committee; and a fresh Certificate being procured from the same Medical Officer who gave the former, an extension of time be granted, which shall not be for longer than a fortnight; and the same course shall be adopted at any subsequent extension of the term.

11. The Convalescent Committee shall meet once a quarter, three to form a quorum, or oftener if called together by the Hon. Secretary.

12. The Convalescent Committee shall have power, if they think fit out of the annual income of the Branch, to subscribe to the Herbert Convalescent Home at Bournemouth, or other similar institution, for the purpose of sending their cases eligible under the foregoing regulations.

It will be of Great Assistance if Subscribers will complete this Form

THIS FORM SHOULD BE SENT TO THE SECRETARY OF THE BRIDPORT HOSPITAL AND NOT TO THE BANKERS.

BANKER'S ORDER.

To

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On receipt of this Order, please pay to Lloyds Bank, Bridport, on account of
The Bridport Hospital the sum of £ on the 1st January each year
until further notice.

Signature

2d. Stamp.

Address

